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Archie McLean Of Interest To Farmers Wins

Archie McLean, although late in the field in opposition to Dr. Rivers, headed the polls on Monday by a very substantial majority. It was generally admitted when he first entered the field that the election would be a very close one, and it was thought if he won it would be by a very narrow majority.

The result, however, shows differently, and it is a surprise to many that the majority is so large. His success is largely due to his own popularity, and having lived in the province for the past 25 years he was well and favorably known throughout the whole district.

Another feature which was no small factor in winning the election for him was the splendid organization, which was almost perfect, and the very active and energetic work carried on by his supporters throughout the whole constituency.

As was expected Taber gave McLean its almost unanimous support, while Raymond voted to a man almost in favor of Dr. Rivers.

Stirling, however, was a surprise to many. It was predicted that Raymond and Stirling would about offset Taber, but the result showed a majority in favor of McLean.

Four polls are yet to hear from, but it is unlikely that the result will be changed very materially. Robinson's Ranch, Keho, Plainfield and Iron Springs.

Following is the result so far as they have come to hand:

	Rivers	McLean
Bow Island	4	16
Grassy Lake	7	46
Raymond	264	1
Stirling	46	49
Royal Colliers	2	51
Diamond City	6	17
St. Mary's	0	17
Exp. Farm	8	29
Burdett	6	16
Provo	13	1
Purple Springs	10	19
Coadlake	2	10
Bowville	58	25
Taber	23	310
Woodpecker	15	46
Watson's Store	9	19
Opie	27	9
Queenstown	19	14
Lehi	16	1
Newlands	8	13
White's	7	15
Hend Hill	7	11
Total	557	735

McLean's majority—178.

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Of Interest To Farmers

We have just received an extract from the government reports, in Canada and the United States in regard to smut in grain.

SMUT.—WHAT IT IS

The smuts of wheat, oats and barley are caused by the growth of minute parasite plants that live within the tissues of the grain plants and suck their nourishment from the juices. They attack the grain plants when the seed germinates and the plantlets are first pushed out into the soil.

If smutty seed is sown, many of the seeds will have particles of smut adhering to the bran or hulls of the seed. These minute particles are the spores or seeds of the smut plants, which adhere to the seed grain and usually germinate at the same time that the wheat or oat seed germinates and attack the young grain plants and grow within its tissues, taking enough nourishment from the host plant without killing it and live with it until maturity when they replace the seeds of grain with smut spores.

Smutty seed can be so treated as to kill the smut spores and not affect the vitality of the seed. The succeeding grain crop will be practically free from smut. The Experimental Stations recommend that farmers use Formaldehyde as being the cheapest and easiest applied and least dangerous to use.

In buying, care should be taken to secure Formaldehyde that is full strength.

(Extract from Bulletin of Department of Agriculture, University of Minnesota.)

Mr. Angus MacKay, of Saskatchewan Experimental Farm, Indian Head, Sask., states 17th Oct., 1908, "Smut is a fungus disease, subject greatly to the seasons, and with the poor seed sown all over the province in the spring, it was more general this year than usual. This year Formalin gave equally good results with Bluestone."

GREAT RAVAGES OF SMUT

It has been proved by the Experimental Farm at Brandon from their tests of smutty seed that nearly 20 per cent. of the crop from untreated seed was destroyed by smut, while the treated seed was practically free from smut.

(Extract from report of Mr. S. A. Bedford, Supt. of Experimental Farm for Manitoba to Dept. of Agriculture, Canada.)

The loss from smut in the United States from wheat and oats probably averages from \$10,000,000 to \$30,000,000 a year each.

(Extract from report of Walter T. Swingle, Physiologist, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, 1906.)

The first month's inspection of 1908 crop, out of about 31,492,300 bushels of wheat inspected 1,516,190 bushels were rejected for smut or over 6 per cent.

Mr. David Horn, Chief Grain Inspector, states these figures show much less smut this year than for several years. This is no doubt due to more general treatment.

FORMALDEHYDE FORTY PER CENT. (sometimes called Formalin).—

The most efficient smut destroyer. The amount of formalin used in the treatment of grain, especially wheat and oats, for the prevention of smut increases yearly and very rapidly. In Manitoba and the North-West generally it has very largely replaced bluestone, due no doubt in a measure to the ease with which the solution may be prepared, simple dilution being all that is necessary. The results of the formalin treatment have been highly satisfactory, and

there is ample proof that formalin is a most efficient smut destroyer. (Extract from report of Chemist, Experimental Farm, 1906.)
Note.—Formalin is a trade name for a 40 per cent solution of formaldehyde.

FORMALDEHYDE A PERFECT SUCCESS

L. H. Bolley of the Dakota Agricultural Experimental Station, in Bulletin No. 2, 1903, states:—"The last two seasons have found North Dakota wheat more free from smut than ever previously known. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that farmers have continued the formaldehyde treatment with success. There should be no neglect in this matter of seed treatment. It pays. The crop is always much improved in yield and in quality, no matter whether the seed has smut in it or not. The formaldehyde improves the first growth from the seed and its treatment has proved a perfect success."

"Summary: Procure the plumpest, best colored grain you can get for seed. Use no other if it can be avoided. It is much more certain way of getting rich, to feed inferior grain to stock than to use it for seed. Treat all the seed used."

"Treatment: Use formaldehyde 40 per cent. at the rate of one pound of the liquid to 37 to 40 imperial gallons of water. Apply this water solution to the seed grain in any manner which allows all the grain to become moist over the entire surface."

"Sprinkling and shovelling is as effective as dipping if well done and of course much more rapid. A small hand spray pump will be found very useful for applying the solution. Place the grain upon a tight floor space or on a canvas, spray or sprinkle on the solution and shovel or rake over the grain until seen to be evenly moist. Leave piled and cover over with sacks or blankets for two hours before sowing."

The grain for seed should be measured before treatment and again before sowing to ascertain how the drill should be set in order to sow the required amount of the swelled seed. The same method of treatment prevents smut in oats, barley and millet.

"It takes from one-half to three-fourths of a gallon of the solution to each bushel of wheat and one to one and one-quarter gallons to each bushel of oats, barley or millet."

"The same solution prevents potato scab, if the tubers are soaked in it for one and one-half hours before being set for planting."

IMPORTANT DIRECTIONS

All authorities on the subject are unanimously of the opinion that formaldehyde of standard quality and used in correct proportion, is the only effective destroying agent of grain smut.

Formaldehyde is a liquid, which if full strength should contain 35-40 per cent of formaldehyde gas. It is easily mixed with water (alkali water may be used satisfactorily) and the solution recommended by authorities is not poisonous to farm animals, and will not injure implements, clothing or sacks coming in contact with it.

Application: The simplest method of using formaldehyde consists of mixing one pound (avoirdupois) of 40 per cent. formaldehyde with 32 to 40 imperial gallons of water, spreading the grain on the granary floor and sprinkling this solution over the seed grain, at the same time shovelling it over until the seed is thoroughly moistened, then pile and cover with sacks or blankets, for two hours so the gas will penetrate amongst all the grains, then spread out to dry and sow within 24 hours if possible. Don't use badly smutted grain for seed if possible, but if it is necessary to do so, it is better to immerse it in the above solution for 5 to 10 minutes, or use a pickler, then spread out to dry.

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WAVING HAIR

The Band Method

This popular and pretty marcel wave is said to be bad for the hair.

Numerous complaints have been made of injury and even of permanent harm done to the hair by constant use of this method.

In every case, this has been traced back to the use of hot, the same cause which leads to falling hair with users of curling irons. There are many ways to marcel the hair without the use of fire.

Among these are the kld, ribbon or other artificial curlers, the employment of curling lotions, and the new hairpin and string methods.

We will treat of these last modes first.

The hairpin curling is illustrated in one of the photographs accompanying this article.

The hair is first parted in the middle, and divided into small strands. For each of these a thin wire hairpin is used.

Pass the strand through the bend of the hairpin, and draw it up to the length, plaiting it, as it were, first with one side and then with the other.

When all the hair has been wound upon it that the pin will hold, twist its ends upward to hold the strand secure, and proceed to the next.

The string and paper method is almost as simple.

BRAIDING WITH STRING

A long string is tied tightly to a small roll of paper, which is then held closely against the scalp. The hair has, as before, been divided into strands.

Each strand is then separated into three parts and is plaited, the piece of string in each case being plaited with one of the sections.

When braided to the end, the string is drawn upward, pulling the hair with it, and is tied again under the paper.

Two or three hours will accomplish the marcelling by either of these methods, though the effect is better if the hairpins or strings are left on all night. Even tight braiding in innumerable "Popsy" plaits will wave the hair overnight. This, however, takes a good deal of time and patience.

A better way for the busy woman is to use the regular kid or ribbon curlers, or one of the many patent wooden or metal ones.

To secure a large, loose wave, simply tie a wide ribbon tightly about the hair near the top of the head before retiring. In the morning there will be one deep wave about the middle of the pompadour and another further up on the back hair.

There are several good curling preparations. Quince seed, for instance, makes an excellent one, and is of especial value to those whose hair is affected by the weather. It is prepared by mixing a tablespoonful of bruised quince seed with a pint of hot water. The water is poured over the seeds and the whole allowed to stand for several hours.

CURLING SOLUTIONS

The resultant mucilage may then be thinned with a few drops of essence of violet. The hair is moistened with the fluid before curling.

A solution to keep the hair curled is made as follows:

Gum arabic..... 1 ounce
Good, moist sugar..... 1 ounce
Pure hot water..... 8 pint
Alcohol..... 3 fluid ounces
Essence of violet..... 1 grain
Sal ammoniac..... 1 grain

The last two should be dissolved in the alcohol before adding. The mixture is enough water to make the whole measure one pint. Perfume with essence of lavender. Moisten the hair with the fluid before putting in the papers or curlers.

This is too strong a solution to be applied repeatedly, as it would surely

have a destructive effect on the hair follicles. Therefore, it should not be too frequently used, and not at too short an interval. An occasional use, however, is practically harmless.

A curler which will marcel the hair without the use of any other means is made with the following ingredients:

Potassium carbonate..... 120 grains
Ammonia water..... 1 fluid ounce
Alcohol..... 3 fluid ounces
Rosewater, enough to make 15 fluid ounces

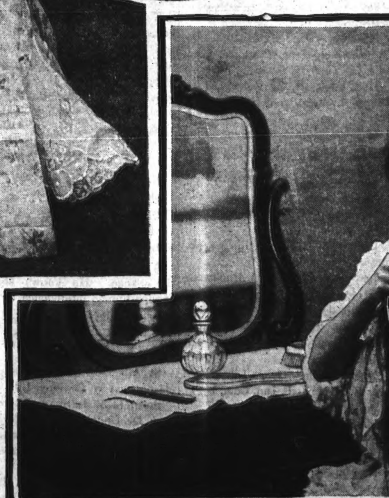
In using this preparation, moisten the hair with it, adjust it loosely and it will curl upon drying.

A child's hair may be trained to wave naturally by constantly brushing it in a backward direction. After childhood, however, this is ineffectual, except where the hair falls out after a fever.

Sometimes the beauty of a carefully waved coiffure is spoiled by the effect of "waxing locks" that grow around the top of the neck and over the ears.

While this is so, it is hard to understand why any woman should prefer the use of iron, which break the hair and dry it so that its growth is retarded.

It is in every way better to wave the hair by one of these natural and simple methods, and there can be no doubt that the effect is just as attractive, if not more so, than when the hair is marcelled in the usual manner.



ADVICE TO CORRESPONDENTS BY MRS. SYMES

Becoming Bald at 21

MY HAIR is quite thin around the ears, and has been falling out quite a little lately. The hair has come out from the hair, and I am only 21 years of age, so you see I am not quite old enough to be bald. I have tried to do to prevent its falling out, and to restore it and make it grow thick again. Take a course of massage treatment of your barber's and use the following formula:

Cure for Bald Spots.
Where the hair falls out in spots try the following wash:

Aromatic vinegar..... 1 ounce
Pure glycerine..... 1 ounce
Tincture of nuxvomica..... 1 ounce
Mint thoroughly. Apply night and morning.

Go hatless in the open air whenever possible.

Dyeing Light Eyebrows

My hair is very dark, but my eyebrows are very light. I would like you to give me a recipe that would darken my eyebrows. I tried a walnut stain for some time that is very good, but I have used all of the stain, and have forgotten what it was made of.

I should not advise you to use walnut hair dye on your eyebrows. I am giving you instead the formula for the Chinese stain, which is excellent.

Chinese Eyebrow Stain.

Gum arabic..... 1 dram
Indian ink..... 1 dram
Powder for the face and hair..... 1 ounce
Small quantities of the powder with the water will eventually disappear.

Is in a powder, and then add the remainder of the rosewater to it. It should be applied with a very fine camel-hair brush.

Wart on Forehead

Kindly give a remedy for warts. I have one on my forehead, and have it cut off, as it is very unsightly. A little help.

Do not have the wart cut; use instead the following:

Wart Eradicator.

Salicylic acid..... 10 grains
Glycerine..... 1 fluid ounce
Acetic acid..... 1 fluid ounce
Apply repeatedly for several days. The wart will dry up and drop off.

Or, touch it daily for a few days with a stick of caustic. It will turn black, but will eventually disappear.

Making the Marcel Wave with Hairpins

Olive Oil as a Flesh Food

Is pure olive oil good for developing the system and building up the body? I am a "hard" builder, more beneficial.

Olive oil will do you more good internally than externally, and will not affect your stomach if taken with grape juice.

Externally, massage with the following:

Massage Cream.

Linseed..... 24 ounces
Spermaceti..... 4 ounces
White vasoline..... 1 ounce
Coconut oil..... 1 ounce
Sweet almond oil (A.D.M.)..... 1 ounce
Tincture of benzoin..... 1/2 dram
Extract of orange leaves..... 1/2 dram
Beet until the mass congeals, adding the benzoin, drop by drop during this process. Extract of violet or any perfume may be added, if agreeable.

Facial Troubles

Kindly tell me how to make carrot jelly. I have blackheads, enlarged, chapped pores. I have blackheads as well, and every summer my face takes a bad turn. I have tried every remedy, but all to no avail. I wish to be free of my skin. This is the recipe for carrot jelly:

Carrot Jelly.

Grate the carrots on a coarse grater, and extract the juice by squeezing through cheesecloth.

Make a quart of jelly with any standard gelatin, using only three-fourths the prescribed quantity of water. The remaining fourth being replaced by pure carrot juice. Add sugar very sparingly.

I am giving you formulas for run-dies which, used as directed, should give you a clear, healthy skin.

Lotion for Enlarged Pores.

Boke add..... 1 dram
Distilled witch hazel..... 1 ounce
Apply with a piece of cotton or a bit of absorbent cotton. Cleanse the skin thoroughly before applying.

Green Soap Treatment for Blackheads.

Tincture of green soap..... 2 ounces
Distilled witch hazel..... 1 ounce
Let this mixture stand on only a few moments, then wash off with hot water. If the green soap irritates the skin, as it sometimes will, use it every other day. Apply a cold cream, or be careful at any drug store. If it is not a regular "cure" for blackheads, it is about the consistency of custard.

For Oily Skin.

Wash all rich and greasy foods, for diet has a great influence on the condition of the skin. Wiping off the face occasionally with diluted alcohol (see post), strongly beneficial in the case of an oily skin. A few drops of ammonia, or a pinch of borax in hot water with which the face is washed is also helpful.

M. R. Henna will make your hair a dark red. If that is the color you wish it, it is the best thing you could use. I advise you to use the tonic I am giving you first, and not to stain the hair until you no longer need a grower.

By that time the invigoration of the scalp may even give a brighter color to the back hair. Your hair is such a pretty shade that it seems a pity to temper with its color.

I am giving you the formula for a whitening and softening cream. Use it after washing the face in the evening, and the other morning.

Hair Tonic.

Essence of cedarwood..... 1 dram
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Land Regulations**

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or
any male over 18 years old, may homestead a
quarter-section of available Dominion land in Mani-
toba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must
appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or
Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may
be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by
father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of
the homesteader.
Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation
of the land in each of the three years. A homesteader
may live within nine miles of his homestead on
a farm of at least 80 acres under cultivation and
occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter,
brother or sister.
In certain districts a homesteader in good standing
may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his
homestead. Price \$100 per acre. Duties.—Must
reside six months in each of the three years from date of
entry including a time required to
earn homestead (patent) and cultivate fifty acres
extra.
A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead
right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a
homesteaded in certain districts. Price
\$100 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in
each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a
house worth \$300.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
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Notes and Comments

That sound business principles
have the call in Alberta over mere
party politics was rather effectively
demonstrated on Monday.

With Duncan Marshall and R. B.
Bennett in the same legislature we
are likely to have frequent exhibi-
tions of oratorical fireworks.

Those lost deposits will go to
swell the fund that will build up a
greater network of railways than has
been.

A. J. McLean received a congratu-
latory telegram on his success.

It is now A. J. McLean, M.P.P.
for Lethbridge District.

Now that elections are over we
should all turn in to boost the pro-
vince and strengthen the hands of
the Rutherford Government in making
Alberta the queen province of
Canada.

When some of the candidates
awoke on Tuesday morning they found
"skidoo" written over the foot
of the bed.

It is very doubtful if any other
man throughout the whole con-
stituency could have been found who
could have put up as good a fight
against Dr. Rivers than A. J. Mc-
Lean.

He did not definitely decide to
enter the contest until the evening
of the 12th, after the Cushing meet-
ing, and the result shows what a
splendid organization and active
energetic work can be accomplished
in a political contest.

This, together with the successful
candidate's popularity, undoubtedly
won the day.

Although defeated the vote in
Raymond showed the esteem in
which Dr. Rivers is held in his own
town. He has held the office of
mayor there for two successive
terms and Monday's vote in Ray-
mond was another tribute paid to
him by his fellow-citizens. Ray-
mond was certainly loyal to its popu-
lar mayor.

Now that the election is over it is
amusing to note how the newspapers
explain how the result happened and
how each tells of its own part in
creating those happenings.

Results in The Province

**Government Has Overwhelm-
ing Majority**

The results throughout the pro-
vince show that the Rutherford
Government has been returned with
an overwhelming majority. Only two
straight Conservatives were elected, R.
B. Bennett, Calgary, and Geo. Hoad-
ley, Okotoks, being the fortunate ones.
O'Brien, the Socialist in Rocky Moun-
tain, was successful, as was also E.
Michener, Independent Conservative
in Red Deer. The Government won
35 seats and has a majority of 31
over all.

With the deferred elections in
Peace River and Athabasca, the
Government's majority will un-
doubtedly be increased to 33. The
closest result is in Macleod where
Colin Genge, Liberal, has a very
narrow majority over E. P. McNeill,
Independent Conservative.

Alexandra—Bramley Moore, Lib.,
defeated J. F. Sowery by a large
majority.

Athabasca—Election deferred.
Calgary—Hon. W. H. Cushing,
Lib., 2,555, and R. B. Bennett, Con.,
2,414, elected. Dr. Egbert, Lib.,
1,819; Dr. Blow, Con., 1,784; Geo.
Howell, Soc., 706.

Cardston—J. W. Woolf, Lib.,
elected over Levi Harker, Con., by
88 majority.

Cainrose—G. P. Smith, Lib.,
elected 168 majority over Dr. Mc-
Eachren, Ind.; 12 small polls to hear
from.

Clareholm—Malcom McKenzie,
Lib., elected over F. Garrow, Con.,
by about 300.

Cochrane—C. W. Fisher, Lib.,
elected over Dr. Brett, Con. leader,
by 146 with a few places to hear
from.

Didsbury—Joseph Stauffer, Lib.,
elected over S. Scarlett, Con., and
C. Hiebert, Ind., who both lose their
deposits.

Edmonton—Hon. G. W. Ross,
3,117, and John A. McDougall, 2,864,
both Liberals, elected over A. F.
Ewing, Con., 1,548, and Geo. Gal-
braith, Soc., 345.

Gleichen—E. H. Riley, Lib.,
elected over James Shoultice, Con.,
by a big majority.

High River—L. M. Roberts, Lib.,
elected by small majority over Dr.
Stanley, Con.

Innisfail—Jas. Simpson, Lib.,
elected 44 majority with 11 polls to
hear from.

Lac Ste Anne—Peter Gunn, Lib.,
acclamation.

Lacombe—W. F. Puffer, Lib., by
acclamation.

Leduc—R. T. Telford, Lib., accla-
mation.

Lethbridge City—W. A. Buchanan,
Lib., elected 63 majority.

Lethbridge Dist.—A. J. McLean,
Ind. Lib., leading by 251, several
polls to hear from, election con-
ceded.

Macleod—Colin Genge, Lib., elected
over E. P. McNeill, Ind. Con., by 11
majority, 1 poll to hear from.

Medicine Hat—Hon. W. T. Finlay,
Lib., elected over Mason, late, Con.
leader, by 70.

Nanton—J. Glendonning, Lib.,
elected over A. J. Robertson, late
Con. leader, by 370 majority.

Okotoks—Geo. Hoadley, Con.,
elected over M. McHardy by 74 with
5 polls to hear from.

Olds—Duncan Marshall, Lib.,
elected over Geo. McDonald, Con.,
by big majority.

Peace River—Election deferred.

Pekan—P. E. Lessard, Lib., accla-
mation.

Pembina—H. W. McKenney, Lib.,
acclamation.

Pincher Creek—Dr. Warnock, Lib.,
elected over E. J. Mitchell, Con., by
large majority.

Ponoka—Dr. Campbell, Lib.,
elected over J. A. Jackson, Con.

Red Deer—E. Michener, Ind. Con.,
elected over J. T. Moore, Lib.

Rocky Mountain—C. M. O'Brien,
Soc., elected 414; J. A. McDonald,
Labor, 331; H. E. Lyons, Con., 222.
Sedgewick—T. Stewart, Lib., accla-
mation.

Correspondence

To the Editor, Taber Free Press.
Sir,—I should like to draw the
attention of the Taber Board of
Trade to a little matter that may be
of great importance to them in the
near future, and that is the GREAT
NEED of getting the bridge over the
Belly River FINISHED BY EARLY
FALL so as to hold the north coun-
try trade.

My reason for writing is to show
them that next fall will see a line to
Diamond City, which will have ele-
vators, stores and every inducement
to draw the farmers to haul their
grain there instead of at Taber, with
that curse of a ferry to cross. Dia-
mond City is about the same dis-
tance as Taber for a lot of the
settlers, and with the Little Bow
well supplied with bridges as it is at
present the farmers will certainly
pull their grain there, as well as
their supplies back from there, which
will mean a big loss to Taber.

I should think the Board of Trade
could certainly get the bridge rushed
so as to be ready for the fall. At
present work is very slow at the
bridge and someone must be to
blame.

Hoping the Board of Trade will
give a little attention to this matter
at an early date,

I am, yours truly,
A NORTH SETTLER.

WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF

Four Dreadnoughts are to be built
immediately by the British Govern-
ment.

France has been cut off from the
world by a strike of the telegraph
and telephone operators.

Hon. Joseph Martin of British
Columbia has withdrawn from busi-
ness and politics, and will make his
home in England in the future.

Immigration movements are ac-
celerated by the approach of spring.
Five hundred farmers and fifty cars
of effects left Toronto for the West
on March 9th, and seventy-eight new
settlers and their goods came in
from Michigan.

Wm. Jennings Bryan is planning
a lecture tour in Canada during the
spring.

The annual convention of the Al-
berta Temperance and Reform League
was held in Wetaskiwin on Wednes-
day and Thursday. There are now
sixty branches of the league in the
province, and a definite and system-
atic campaign throughout the pro-
vince has been organized.

Next year is the centenary of the
birth of Mendelssohn.

Keep the Knox Church sale of
work and supper in mind which is
to be held on the 8th prox.

A man never tells his wife to keep
the change. He knows she has
enough human intelligence to do it
without orders.

St. Albert—J. A. Boudreau, Lib.,
elected over W. Gariopy, Lib.

Stettler—R. L. Shaw, Lib., elected
over Dr. Creighton, Ind. Con., 177
majority with 8 polls to hear from.

Stoney Plain—J. McPherson, Lib.,
elected.

Strathcona—Hon. A. C. Ruther-
ford, Lib., elected over Rice Sheppard
by overwhelming majority.

Sturgeon—J. R. Boyle, Lib., accla-
mation.

Vegreville—J. B. Holden, Lib.,
elected over F. Fane, Con., by a
large majority.

Vermillion—A. Campbell, Lib.,
elected over Rev. A. R. Aldridge,
Con.

Victoria—F. A. Walker, Lib., accla-
mation.

Wetaskiwin—C. H. Olin, Lib.,
elected by large majority.

SUMMARY

Liberals 35
Conservatives 2
Independent Conservatives 1
Socialists 1
Deferred Election 2

Total 41
Government's majority over all
—31.

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NOTICE TO ENGINEERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Examination will be held by N. Marshall, a duly appointed Inspector of Steam Boilers for the Province of Alberta, at Lethbridge, March 13th and 14th, in A. R. & I. Reading Room, Taber, April 6th; Medicine Hat, April 8th; at 9 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of giving engineers and apprentices an opportunity of qualifying for certificates under the Provisions of the Steam Boilers Act, 1906. Application for examination should be made to the above-named Inspector or to JOHN STOCKS, Deputy Minister, Department of Public Works, Edmonton, Alta.

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1909.

LOCALS

Mrs George Budd and Mrs Gordon of Raymond spent Sunday here.

Anyone desiring a well drilled, on their premises should call on O. L. Penfield, Taber Hotel. 4-3tp

J. F. Anderson and B. S. Young of Raymond spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Two more lots for sale opposite the Grand Stand. Snap to cash purchaser. Apply Free Press Office. 4-1f

Strayed onto Geo. Lee's premises, section 10, township 10, range 16, one black gelding, 3 years old. Brand resembles TY on left shoulder. 4-3tp

When you hear a man sneer at the local paper because it is not as big and newsworthy as the city papers, you may safely bet that he does not spend many cents in trying to make it better, and that generally the paper has done more for him than he has for it. The man who does not assist and does not see the benefits arising from a local paper is about as much value to a town as a delinquent tax list.

FOR SALE AS SNAP PRICE

Good half section two miles from Purple Springs. Price a snap: terms easy for quick sale. Further particulars apply at this office. 6-1f

J. R. Shearer of Grassy Lake was in town this week.

Seed potatoes for sale at J. F. Johnson's, Bountiful. 6-1f

Mrs Stella Anderson from Spring Coulee is the guest of Miss Maggie VanOrman.

After spending the winter at the coal city, J. H. Duffield leaves to-day to continue his duties upon his homestead.

Asked by a journalist the population of the place, a citizen of a western town answered briefly, "Eight elevators."

What about base-ball for the coming season? Now is the time to get organized. We have material here if we can get the support.

D. C. Coe of Inkaster, N.D., representing the E. M. Sherman Nursery of Charles City, Iowa, is here soliciting orders for the company.

See D. W. Coulter, field salesman, Atlantic-Pacific Land Syndicate, at Union Hotel, Taber, if interested in buying or selling land, wholesale or retail. 3-1f

Don't forget the coming visit of the Allen Players on the 5th, 6th and 7th April, who will present some very interesting plays at the Taber Opera House. 6-3t

We understand some valuable dogs have been poisoned in the town with strychnine. Someone is looking for trouble and will get it too if they are not very careful. 'Nuff said.

C. T. Thorp of Vicksburg, Michigan, arrived on the flyer last night with a car of settlers' effects, including a Case breaking outfit. His family will arrive about April 1st.

Born, on Monday, March 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Douglas, a son.

The many friends of Mr. Robert Long regret to learn that he has been transferred to Lethbridge, where he will continue in the employ of the C.P.R. 47-1f

WANTED. — A Half Section or more near Taber, on half-crop payments. Owners only apply Imperial Development Company, Ltd., Box 1740, Lethbridge. 47-1f

Mrs. Nixon, one of the people killed in the recent train wreck at Windsor Station, Montreal, was the wife of Mr. W. J. Nixon of Medicine Hat. She had gone to the station to meet her husband, who arrived after the accident on the Winnipeg train.

W. T. Cook, of Fernie, Ont., while visiting his brother-in-law, W. A. Bellwood, editor of the Taber Free Press, last spring became infatuated with Alberta. He accordingly purchased a valuable farm six miles east of town. Last week he returned with his family and a car of settlers' effects, completing the 2,000 miles in seven days. — Calgary Herald.

We regret to announce this week the death, at Coal City, of Mr. Earl Demmon, part proprietor of the Coal City Hotel, from typhoid and pneumonia. It was thought some time ago that he was on the road to recovery, but typhoid intervening he succumbed at three o'clock Tuesday morning. His father, Mr. Orson J. Demmon, and his brother Evan came over from Wyoming Tuesday night, but owing to an unfortunate delay in the train service they were unable to see their boy alive. Deceased was 33 years of age. He was very popular and much respected in the district, and all will sympathize with his surviving relatives, especially with Mr. Leroy Demmon, who was warmly attached to his younger brother, in their sad bereavement. The funeral takes place to-day at three o'clock.

Ed. Wetzel of Bow Island is reported very ill with rheumatism.

St. Patrick's celebration held in Coal City was a memorable one. The hall was lavishly decorated in Ireland's colors. There was fine music and much gaiety.

See the new stock of spring and summer hats at the Taber Millinery Store, the exquisite work of Miss Cooksey's milliner, who comes from Toronto. Everybody invited to see the hats displayed. 6-3t

A handsome specimen of wapiti deer (commonly called elk) was received yesterday by H. E. Annable. The animal was killed at Binscarth, Man., and will be mounted by a taxidermist. The length of each antler measured 39½ inches, with a spread of 34½ inches between them.

The famous theatrical stock company, headed by the renowned actress, Miss Jeanne Russell, gave three excellent performances in the opera house this week, commencing Monday night: "In Mizouri," "The Squaw man" and "David Harum." The attendances, though not large, were thoroughly appreciative.

The case of King vs. Barnham, on the charge of stealing a beaver overcoat, the property of W. A. Aubin, from the Dallas Hotel, occupied the attention of the District Court yesterday. C. F. P. Conybeare acted as Crown Prosecutor, but the accused was not represented by counsel. Evidence was given by the proprietor and clerks of the Dallas Hotel in regard to identifying the accused and regarding the search for the overcoat after the accused had left for the train. In the prisoner's statement he admitted that the overcoat in the court room was not his coat, but he claimed he had had a similar overcoat. He mentioned names of people who knew him and could testify in regard to his previous character. His worship found the accused guilty of the charge, but postponed sentence until further inquiries were made.

Mr. Galvin, vice-president of district 18 of the United Mine Workers of America, is here visiting President Sherman on business. He left Tuesday night for Macleod.

FOR SALE BY OWNER. — North half section 36, township 9, west 4th mer. First-class land 2½ miles from station and coal mine. Any reasonable offer considered. Apply Peter Warren, New Westminster. 3-1f

The sympathy of the whole community goes out Mr. Hy. Hudson and family, owing to the death of his wife, which took place in Lethbridge on Saturday last. The funeral service took place at Taber on Tuesday.

FOR SALE. — 496 Acres, Section 10, Township 11, Range 16, on Crop Payment Plan, at \$15 per acre with \$1 per acre cash; balance payable by half crop each year. W. R. Dobbin, Lethbridge, Alberta. 51-1f

The following land buyers arrived yesterday on the flyer from Sixton, Mo., all of whom will reside here: William Hipp and wife; A. Tubbs and wife; G. W. Tubbs, Perry Williams; and Jacob Taylor and wife, of Milton, N.D.

Mr. Henderson, a wealthy farmer and business man, from Ontario, visited this section last season, and purchased from the C.Y. Ranch Company 1,990 acres of choice prairie land. Mr. Henderson comes with four cars of valuable work and driving horses, household effects and farm implements.

Mr. Hazen B. Walton, son of Mr. J. J. Walton, has returned to Taber after an absence of 18 months at Salt Lake City, Utah, where he went to complete a business course in stenography and typewriting. The past six months he has been employed by the Walther Williams firm of wholesale merchants of The Dalles, Ore. Mr. Walton is thankful to be in Taber again and greet his many friends. He owns a valuable homestead in township 9, range 17, which he filed upon in 1903, being one of the first homesteaders in the district.

In time, any good plan properly advertised will pay its own advertising, but results will not come in a minute or in a day. The Lord might have built the world in five minutes, but He didn't. You might make a fortune with a five line ad. in a few weeks, but you won't. It is a good rule for all advertisers to follow: "Keep overlastingly at it." — Western Monthly.

The victory of A. J. McLean in the Lethbridge district is a tribute to his great popularity throughout the riding. A resident of the district for a quarter of a century and intimately associated with the movement of events in the district he was well-known and his personal worth and business ability made him favorably known. His opponent, Dr. Rivers, was not so widely known, but the unanimous vote in his own town was a remarkable tribute from those who knew him best. Mr. McLean's vote in his own community was also unanimous to a remarkable degree. Dr. Rivers has nothing to be ashamed of in his defeat by such a strong and widely known man, well versed in the affairs of the district and who will make an excellent representative at Edmonton. — Lethbridge Herald.

Church Services

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints — Sunday school at 10 a.m., every Sunday. Sacrament meeting at 2 p.m. Sunday evening service at 8 p.m. — Young Ladies' Mutual Improvement Association, every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Primary Association every Saturday at 3 p.m.

St. Theodore Church. — Morning Prayer, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2 p.m.; Evening Prayer, 7.30 p.m. Holy Communion, 11 a.m. first Sunday in each month and 8.30 a.m. on third Sunday in the month.

Knox Church. — Morning service at 11 a.m., followed by Sunday School and Bible Class. Evening service, 7.30. Wednesday Congregational Prayer Meeting, 8 p.m.

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By Stewart Edward White
And Samuel Hopkins Adams

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The exploration continued. Half a mile, as they estimated from the open they reached a narrow beach shut off by a perpendicular wall of rock. Skirting this, they returned on the other side, minutely examining every possible crevice. When they again reached the light of day they had arrived at the certain conclusion that no living man was within those walls.

"Would a corpse rise to the surface soon in waters such as these, Dr. Tredon?" asked the captain.

"Might, sir. Might not. No telling that."

The captain ruminated. Then he beat his fist on his knee.

"The other cave?"

"What other cave?" asked the surgeon.

"The cave where they killed the seals."

"Surely!" exclaimed Tredon. "Wait, though. Didn't Slade say it was between here and the point?"

"Yes. Beyond the small beach."

"No cave there," declared the surgeon positively.

"There must be. Condon, did you see an opening anywhere in the cliff as we came along?"

"We'll see about that," said the captain grimly. "Head her back. Skirt the shore near the breakers as you safely can."

The gig retraced its journey.

"There's the beach, as Slade described it," said Captain Parkinson. "We can come abreast of the little reach of sand."

"And what are those two bird roosts on it?" asked Tredon. "See 'em? Dead against that patch of seaweed?"

"Bits of wreckage fixed in the sand."

"Don't think so, sir. Two well matched."

"We have no time to settle the matter now," said the captain impatiently.

"We must find that cave if it is to be found."

Hovering just outside the final grasp of the surf, under the skillful guidance of Condon, the boat moved slowly along the line of beach to the line of cliff. All was open as the day.

The blazing sun picked out each detail of jolt and hollow. Evidently the poisonous vapors from the volcano had not spread their blight here, for the face of the precipice was bright with many flowers. So close was the boat that its occupants could even see butterflies fluttering above the bloom. But that which their eager eyes sought was still denied them. "No opening offered in that smiling cliffside. Not by so much as would admit a terrier did the mass of rock and rubble gaps."

"And Slade described the cave as big enough to ram the Wolverine into," muttered Tredon.

Dr. Tredon looked at the captain.

Up to the point of the headland and back passed the boat. Blank disappointment was the result.

"What is your opinion now, Dr. Tredon?" asked the captain of the older man.

"Don't know, sir," answered the surgeon hopefully. "Looks as if the cave might have been a hallucination."

"I shall have something to say to Mr. Slade on our return," said the captain grimly. "If the cave was a hallucination, as you suggest, the seal murder was fiction."

"Looks so," agreed the other.

"And the murder of the captain. How about that?"

"And the mutiny of the men," added the surgeon.

"And the killing of the doctor. Your patient seems to be a romantic genius."

"And the escape of Darrow. Hold hard," quoth Tredon. "Barne is no romance. Nothing fictional about the flag and ledger."

"True enough," said the captain and fell to consideration.

"Anyway," said Tredon vigorously, "I'd like to have a look at those bird roosts. Mightily like sign posts to my mind."

"Very well," said the captain. "I'll cost us only a wetting. Run her in, Condon."

With all the cockswain's skill and the cannon's technique, the passage of the surf was a lively one, and little driplets of water marked the trail of the officers as they shuffled up the beach.

The two albatrosses, less than fifty yards beyond high water line. Near them, the visitors saw that each carried a mousetrap, and the two birds close up could read the seal carving on the first. It ran as follows:

Here lies
BOLOMON ANDERSON
HANDY BOLOMON

who murdered his employer, his captain and his shipmates and was found dead of his desert on these shores, June 3, 1904.

This slab is erected as a memento of admiring esteem.

Here lies the last of his victims.

"And you can kiss the book on that."

"Percy Darrow feels," said the surgeon. "You can kiss the book on that too."

"Then Slade was telling the truth?"

"Apparently. Seems good corroboration."

The captain turned to the other mound. His slab was carved by the same hand.

He turned to the memory of an enigma of the United States navy, whose body, washed upon this coast, is here buried.

His all-revered, his all-affectioned, whose soul may God rest. "The sea shall find him," said the surgeon.

"Billy Edwards," said the captain.

"Uncovered. The surgeon did likewise. So for a space they stood with bared heads between the twin graves."

CHAPTER XXX.

THE SURGEON spoke first.

"Another point," said he.

"Darrow was alive within a few days of the murder."

"Captain Parkinson turned slowly away from the grave. "You are right," he said, with an effort. "Our business is with the living now. The dead must wait."

"Hilde and seek," growled Tredon.

"If he's here why don't he show himself?"

The other shook his head.

"Place is all trampled up with foot-prints," said Tredon. "He's plodded back and forth like a prisoner in a cell."

"The ledger," said the captain. "I'd forgotten it. That grave drove every thought from my mind."

"Bring the book here," called Tredon.

Condon unwrapped it from his neck and handed it to him. The sailors cast curious glances at the two head graves.

"About guard over Mr. Edwards' grave," commanded the captain.

The cockswain saluted and gave an order. One of the sailors stepped forward.

"Not that one," rasped the other.

The man saluted and moved on.

"With your permission, sir," said Tredon.

On a nod from his superior officer he opened the ledger and took up Darrow's record.

"Here it is. Entry of June 3."

"Everything lovely. Schooner lost to sight. Query-to memory dear? Not exactly. Though I am sure of it."

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"June 3-saw the glow again last night."

The surgeon panned in his reading. That would be the night of the blinding light before we picked her up empty."

"Yes," agreed Captain Parkinson. "That was the night Billy Edwards was found."

"Saw the glow again last night. Don't understand it. Once should have been enough for them. This matter of hoarding tobacco may be a sad error. If Old Darrow keeps on the way he has today I shall need much more. It would be a new piece to be burned or swallowed up with a month's supply of unsmoked cigarettes on a day. Getting angry. Still, I do. I'll stick there. As between being burned alive and buried alive, I'm for the respectable and time honored fashion of interment. Bombardment was mostly to the east today, but no telling when it may shift."

"June 7.-This morning I found a body rolling in the surf. It was the body of a young man, large and strongly built, dressed in the uniform of an ensign of our navy. Surely a strange visitor to these shores!"

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LOVE CONQUERS ALL.

An Operator's Account of a Message That Was Not Sent.

"Girls are strange creatures," said a telegraph clerk.

"One afternoon not very long ago a very handsome young woman came to my office and asked for a telegraph form. She wore a brown veil, but I could see, all the same, that her eyes were red, as if she had been crying. I handed her the form, with a sympathetic look, and she wrote this message:

"Never let me hear from you again."

"She said for the message, and then she asked in a tremulous voice how soon it would go."

"In half an hour, ma'am," I replied.

"She went away, but in ten minutes she was back again."

"Have you sent that message of mine?" she said.

"No, ma'am, not yet."

"Very well. Give it back to me. I want to change it a little," said the young woman.

"I returned it, though that was against the rule, and she altered it so that it read:

"No one expects you to come back."

After Effects of La Grippe

Most of the bitter experience the evils which I found in the train of La Grippe. The whole system is run down, appetite entirely lost, and the body is covered with languor and weakness, and life seems scarcely worth living. In many cases the system is so completely run down, gradually declines, until premature death is carried off by the dreaded "white plague."

Now Hope (now Cattie), of Morpeth, writes: "My lungs were in a terrible state. I had had La Grippe, and my system settled on my lungs. I kept steadily getting worse, and got so low that I was confined to bed, and could do nothing but lie down. Several doctors but they said nothing could be done for me. Then I started taking PSYCHINE and it has certainly done wonders. I feel just as strong as I was before my sickness, and can truly say that PSYCHINE saved my life."

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they cried, "the landlady will give the chicken's neck to the man behind in his board."

Herewith he perceived the scheme was ineffective.—New York Sun.

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A BY-LAW

TO RESTRAIN, REGULATE AND TAX DOGS IN THE TOWN OF TABER

WHEREAS it is expedient to restrain and regulate dogs and tax the owners, possessors and harbors thereof, and to provide for impounding and killing dogs running at large in the Town of Taber, therefore the Council of the Town of Taber in council assembled enacted as follows:

(1) No person or persons shall be allowed to own, possess or harbor a dog or bitch in the said Town without first having obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer a license and tag for such dog or bitch by paying tax, that is to say: For every dog (male) one dollar; for every bitch (female) two dollars. Upon the payment of such tax to the Secretary-Treasurer the said Secretary-Treasurer shall give the owner, possessor or harbors of such dog a tag and receipt for such payment. Such licenses shall terminate on the 31st day of December in each and every year.

(2) That such tag shall be attached to a collar to be worn on the neck of the dog for which is granted, and no dog shall be allowed on any street or public place in the said Town of Taber without having such tag and collar on.

(3) No person shall allow a vicious dog or bitch in heat to run at large in the Town of Taber.

(4) That it shall be the duty of any inhabitant of the said Town of Taber, and such inhabitant is hereby authorized, to kill any rabid or vicious dog or bitch running at large in the Town of Taber.

(5) That the Town Constable or any inhabitant of the said Town shall impound in the pound of this town every vicious dog or bitch running at large, or any or every dog not having a tag or collar as aforesaid.

(6) The Pound Keeper shall keep any such dog or bitch so impounded for 72 hours unless the owner or claimant of such dog or bitch shall, in the event of the tax imposed by this By-law not having been paid, produce to him before the expiration of the said 72 hours a receipt from the Secretary-Treasurer for the said tax and the tag as provided by the By-law, and pay to the said Pound Keeper the sum of one dollar for the impounding of the said dog or bitch, and also the sum of ten cents for each day the said dog or bitch shall have remained in the said pound for the feed of the said dog or bitch; and in the event of the said dog or bitch having been impounded at large without a tag, or bitch running at large in heat but not having been impounded, then, unless the owner or claimant of said dog or bitch shall pay the said Pound Keeper before the expiration of the said 72 hours the sum of one dollar for pound fees and ten cents for each day the said dog or bitch shall have remained in said pound for feed of the said dog or bitch, the Pound Keeper shall, at the expiration of the said 72 hours, sell or destroy any such dog or bitch so impounded with him as aforesaid and shall bury the carcass thereof, and such dog or bitch destroyed by him he shall be

paid the sum of 50 cents by the Secretary-Treasurer as full compensation for the impounding, feeding, killing and burying of the said dog or bitch on production of a certificate signed by the Constable of such destruction and burial.

(7) In cases where dogs cannot be captured the person or persons authorized to capture dogs, unlawfully running at large may immediately kill such dogs.

(8) Any person guilty of removing the collar or tag from a licensed dog or bitch shall be guilty of a violation of this By-law.

(9) Any person who shall register a bitch as a male dog shall be subject to the penalties of this By-law.

(10) Any person in the Town of Taber possessing or harboring a dog or bitch, and neglecting or refusing to pay the license fee or to register the same under the provisions of this By-law, shall be deemed guilty of an infraction thereof.

(11) Any person in the Town of Taber in possession of a dog or bitch, or who shall harbor any dog or bitch in or about his house or premises, shall be deemed the owner of such dog or bitch for the purposes of this By-law.

(12) Any person giving any information leading to the conviction of any other person for any breach of any of the provisions of this By-law shall be entitled to one-half of any fine or fines which may be imposed and collected under any such conviction; the same shall be payable to any such person so entitled by the Justice convicting.

(13) On complaint being made to the Mayor of the Town or to any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction of any dog or bitch within the limits of the Town of Taber, by hawking, biting, howling or chasing and barking at any horse or vehicle on any public street, or in any other manner disturbing the quiet of any person or persons whosoever, the said Mayor or Justice of the Peace, on being satisfied of the truth of such complaint, shall order the Constable to give notice thereof to the person or persons keeping or permitting such dog or bitch to remain in his or her premises, and in case such person or persons shall neglect to cause such dog or bitch to be destroyed or removed, or the nuisance abated so as to prevent a recurrence of such disturbance, he or she shall be deemed guilty of any infraction of this By-law.

(14) The Pound Keeper of the town shall pay the town fees paid to him for the release of any dog or bitch to the Town Constable impounding such dog or bitch as soon as collected.

(15) Any person proved guilty of the violation of the provisions of this By-law shall, on conviction thereof before any Justice or Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction in the Town of Taber on the oath or affirmation of any creditable witness, forfeit and pay, at the discretion of the Justice or Justices so convicting, a penalty not exceeding \$25.00 in addition to the costs for each offence.

OBEYED ORDERS.

The Lady Knew Just What to Do When a Fire Started.

Mrs. Wilcox had boundless faith in the wisdom and general effectiveness of her husband's advice, and consequently he had primed her with instructions for any emergency that might arise when he was absent. Among other things, he had repeatedly warned her in case of fire to spread a rug on the place and then telephone for the engine.

So deeply was this advice impressed on her subconsciousness that her actions the day of the fire in her home were purely automatic.

She had bought a new hat, and, the room being rather poorly lighted, she used the gas jet over her bureau as an aid to studying the new millinery achievement. Suddenly she was lifting the lace creation off her head and slipped and fell directly upon the blazing gas jet.

The expected happened. The hat was soon burning fiercely still on the top of the gas jet.

Mrs. Wilcox, mindful of Jack's advice, grabbed a valuable Persian rug on the floor and, spreading it carefully over the lighted gas jet and flaming hat, rushed out to the telephone.

At the doorway she collided with her maid, Betsey, who, hearing the rapid movements in the room, was coming to learn the cause.

Running over to the bureau, the first thing Mrs. Wilcox did was throwing the rug on the floor stamped out the flames, which had burned a hole through the valuable tapestry.

"Why Mrs. W.," she cried, "why didn't you turn out the gas?"

"Turn out the gas?" answered her mistress. "Well, now you brought it never thought of that. Jack has always told me to put a rug on a fire."

A STORY OF NELSON.

The Presence of Mind of the Great English Admiral.

Captain Nelson reviews the following incident concerning Lord Nelson's late proposal to avenge the crown prince of Denmark dispatched in the night on a mission.

The decks being cleared of all partitions fore and aft and all ordinary conveniences removed, Nelson wrote in full view of all on the deck where he was, at the casting of the rudder belt standing, and as he wrote an officer standing, he took a copy. The original, by his own hand, was put into an envelope and sealed, with his arms. The officer was about to use a wafer, but Nelson said:

"No; send for sealing wax and candle."

Some delay followed owing to the man's having had his head taken off by a well-to-do number messenger for the wax," said the admiral when informed of this, and when the wafers were again suggested he simply reiterated the order.

A large quantity of wax was used and extreme care taken that the last drop of seal should be perfect. Colonel Stewart said:

"Why under no sort of a fire and after so lamentable an accident have you attached so much importance to a circumstance apparently trifling?"

"Had I made use of a wafer," replied Nelson, "the wafer would have been still wet when the letter was presented to the crown prince. He would have inferred that the letter was sent off in a hurry and that we had some pressing reason for being in a hurry. The wax told no tale."

He Didn't Like Pledges. Judge Martin Grover of Troy, N. Y., was at one time approached by a young citizen who wished to be nominated to the state assembly. The shrewd old judge had certain doubts about him, which he expressed somewhat freely, and yet he was willing to afford him a trial. He therefore addressed the aspirant to this way:

"Young man, if you will give me your word that you won't steal when you get to Albany I'll see what kin be done about sending you there."

"Judge Grover," replied the young man, drawing himself up with great dignity, "I go to to Albany unpledged as I don't go at all."

Small Tasks. How is this for a snuff? The center of the tack industry used to be Braintree, a town in Worcestershire, England, where all work was done by hand. It was a common feat for experts to forge 1,000 to 1,200 tacks as small as to fill the barrel of an ordinary goose quill, their weight being only about twenty grains.

A Glittering Bargain. "Yes," said the prospective investor to the little real estate man, "your terms of \$2 an acre are very reasonable. Is there any gold in the land?"

"The agent looked around as if to assure himself that no one was listening; then he leaned over and whispered: "It's mostly gold!"

Irresistible Attraction. "What are you stopping for, John? If we don't hurry we'll miss our train."

"You can go on if you want to, Maria. I'm going to see how they get that balky horse started."

Out of a Job. Minister - Is your father working now, Johnny? Small Johnny - No, sir. Minister - Why not? Just week he told me he had a job. Small Johnny - Yes, sir. But the mail he was working died.

Against God's wrath no castle is stronger proof.

TIME AT THE POLES.

It is Practically Any Hour of the Day You Please.

Those who are conversant with the use of globes know that the meridians of longitude starting from the equator converge toward and meet at the poles. They know, too, that longitude signifies time and that difference of longitude is difference in time. They know very well that when it is noon in London it is about 7 o'clock in the morning in Boston and that when it is noon in San Francisco it is about a quarter past 3 in the afternoon in New York.

Now, as the meridian of London extends to the north pole, it necessarily ensues that when it is noon in the English capital it must also be noon at the north pole. In a similar manner when it is noon at Boston, or in San Francisco, or at Pekin, or any other place situated in the northern hemisphere, it follows that it must also be noon at the pole, because all the meridians of those places unite at the north pole. Therefore it is noon all day long at the pole.

Thus there is an entire absence of time at the pole. But it would be just as correct to say that it is a place where there is a preponderance of time, for it is practically any time of day during the whole of twenty-four hours or, indeed, through the year. In fact, a resident at the north pole could make it any time of day he might choose to select, with the consciousness that it would be the right time.

A POET'S DIET.

Byron's Strenuous Efforts to Keep Himself From Getting Fat.

"You mention Browning's idea that starvation was the cure for all the ills of the flesh his own, at any rate," says a correspondent. "Browning was not the only poet with peculiar views on the subject. One of Byron's chief fears was that of becoming fat, and to avoid it he often resorted to extraordinary systems of diet. At Athens he lived mainly on rice and vinegar and water. Later he confined himself to six biscuits a day and ten. In 1814 he had so restricted his diet that he was obliged to keep down hunger by chewing mastic and tobacco. 'Don Juan' was written on gin and water."

Byron, it must be pointed out, was one of those furnished by their constitutions to fatten in middle life, whether they eat much or little, and his victory over nature in this respect—for he succeeded in reducing himself by these violent methods—has been quoted as one of the most remarkable achievements of the human will, considering all the circumstances. It must have been bitter to him to see such a man as Beau Brummell, who ate and drank freely and took no exercise, retaining without an effort all the elegance of figure that was his greatest gift. No wonder Byron's was the poetry of gloom.—London News.

A Tailor's Advertisement, 1734.

This is to give Notice to all Gentlemen and others, That they may have good Drugges, Sagarbille and Daroy Suits made well and fashionable, for the first size Men at £3 10s, a suit and the larger size at £4. Cloth Serge, commonly called by the Name of German Serge, suits for £4 and £4 10s. Liver suits for £4 and £4 10s. Colored and black Cloth suits for £5 and £5 10s. At the Two Golden Balls in great Hart-street, the upper end of Bow-street, Covent-Garden. Also Horsens's great Cloths to be sold ready made at 20s. each. Morning Gowns, Calimanco, black sides, at 30s. a piece, blue Clock-bags ready made at 10s. each, blue Reckless ready made. Superfine black Cloth at 10s. per Yard.—Fog's Journal, 1734.

Tea Table Etiquette.

A hundred years or more ago there was a quaint tea table etiquette. It was considered a bad thing to take much cream or sugar in one's tea. Etiquette demanded that the tea should be tasted from the spoon and that the hostess should then inquire, "Is your tea agreeable?" Modern women would be shocked by a fashionable lady of those days who cooled her tea with her breath, yet Young wrote of a certain bewildering Lady Betty:

Her two red lips affected ammonia blow To cool the Bohns and inflame the beau, While one white finger and a thumb conspire To lift the cup and make the world admire.

A City and Its Press.

In some respects a modern city resembles a vast commercial house. It resembles advertisement is the secret of success, and the most successful coadjutors and puffing of a capital are the newspapers. And here Britain is lacking. Her press is on a hopelessly low level, impoverished, without enterprise, under the thumb of the authorities. In London, New York and Paris the press has a voice in the running of the city.—London Outlook.

A Roundabout Reply.

"Darling," said a young husband, "what would you do if I should die?" "Tell me?" "Please don't suggest such a thing," was the reply. "I can't bear the thought of a stepfather for our little boy?"

Unselfish.

She-George, is that one of those clever I give you on your birthday? He-So. I'm saving those for my friends. She-You dear, self-sacrificing, unselfish man!

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